GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6724
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CRAFT BAZARS
SATYAVRAT CHATURVEDI;SUNDER LAL TIWARI

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have accorded its sanction to open craft bazar in the trade fair organised in Gwalior;

(b) if so, whether this crafts bazar is playing a pivotal role in according a separate identity to the products of craftsmen and artisans in the field of handicrafts and providing market to them;

(c) if so, whether Government propose to provide the remaining part of the sanctioned funds to Madhya Pradesh Government for this bazar; and

(d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be disbursed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI V. DHANANJAYA KUMAR)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) & (d) Yes, Sir. The remaining part of the amount due to the Madhya Pradesh Hasthshilp and Hathkargha Vikas Nigam, Bhopal towards organising Crafts Bazar in Gwalior shall be released during the current financial year i.e. 2002-2003, as the audited accounts were not received during 2001-02.